

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

MESTEK, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

MACSTEEL SERVICE CENTERS USA,
INC. and BSC PROPERTIES, INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:04-cv-30147-KPN

LOCAL RULE 16.1 - CERTIFICATION

The undersigned hereby certify that Defendant BSC Properties, Inc., and its counsel have conferred:

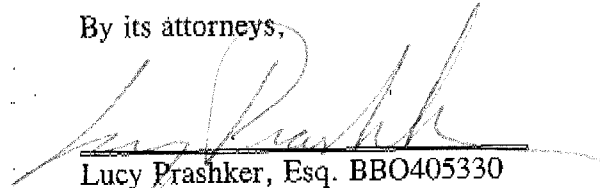
- (a) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course—and various alternative courses—of the litigation; and
- (b) to consider the resolution of the litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in LR 16.4.

Respectfully submitted,

BSC PROPERTIES, INC.,

Defendant,

By its attorneys,



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By: 

Date: 3/10/05